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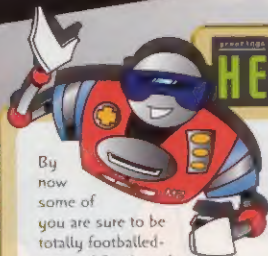
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HEY BOOMERS!

By now some of you are sure to be totally footballed-out, and for those in dire need of a break from the TV set, get outside and practise your own super spin skills with your Free Sonic Yo-Yo! E-a-s-y!

As you already know, STC's in a league of its own, but from now on, each issue will include a 'Blast From The Past' Sonic story. So many of you have requested information on bygone

stories, that these golden oldies will transport you back through the history of Mobius so that you need never wonder again. STC kicks off with The Sentinel...

Also in this line-up, there's a further two Sonic adventures: Sun-trap and Football Lazy, plus, Amy's on the ball again in Following Suit.

Together with a Golden Moments Graphic Zone in centre-half position, who needs Planet Football, when there's such cool goings on on Planet Mobius.

Megadroid

STC'S STAR LINE-UP!

As World Cup fever spreads to STC, the humes who think they're in charge have changed from plain daft to football daft and have chosen the best STC eleven to represent Mobius. With Tekno (as sick as a canary), nominated as player-manager, here's the selected line-up...

GOALKEEPER
KNUCKLES



BACK 4
CHARMEE, ESPION,
MIGHTY, VECTOR



MIDFIELD
AMY, SHORTFUSE,
TEKNO, JOHNNY



STRIKERS/
SONIC, TAILS



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SONIC

Sun-Trap

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PAGE

IN THE CASINO NIGHT ZONE, SHIFTY LIZARD MAX GAMBLE HAS A NEW MONEY-MAKING SCHEME...

CITIZENS OF MOBIUS! ARE YOU TIRED OF THE STRESSES OF MODERN DAY LIVING? THEN TAKE A HOLIDAY OF A LIFETIME ON FLICKIES' ISLAND!

DOCTOR ROBOTNIK'S HIDEOUT! NO THANKS!

AH, SINCE SONIC DEFEATED HIM, ROBOTNIK ISN'T THERE ANY MORE! IT'D BE A CRIME NOT TO VISIT SUCH A TROPICAL PARADISE!

COO! IT DOES LOOK NICE!

I COULD DO WITH A BREAK!

ME TOO!

SUN, SEA AND SAND! THAT'S FOR ME!

HEH, HEH! CASH ONLY PLEASE!

A FEW DAYS
LATER...

HERE WE ARE!
FLICKIES' ISLAND!

THE FUN
STARTS NOW!

STRANGE! MAX
SAID HE'D BE HERE
TO ACT AS OUR
TOUR GUIDE!

I CAN'T
WAIT FOR
HIM! LET'S
EXPLORE!

UHP! DO
YOU GET THE
FEELING WE'RE
BEING
WATCHED?

THAT'S CRAZY TALK!
MAX PROMISED US
THE ISLAND WAS...

...DESERTED.
UHP?

INTRUDER ALERT!
DEFENCE PROGRAM
ACTIVATED!

TEKNO'S WORKSHOP,
EMERALD HILL ZONE...

THERE'S SOMETHING HERE
I THINK YOU SHOULD LOOK
AT, SONIC!

WHAT'S UP,
TEKNO?

I'VE BEEN COMPILING A
DATABASE OF OUR OLD
VILLAINS. APPARENTLY
MAX GAMBLE HAS SET
HIMSELF UP AS A TRAVEL
AGENT!

THAT CONMAN?
THERE'S GOT TO
BE A CATCH!

THERE IS!
GAMBLE'S
SELLING
HOLIDAYS TO
FLICKIES' ISLAND!

EVEN WITHOUT
ROBOTNIK THERE
THAT PLACE IS A
DEATH TRAP!

TAILS, WE'RE
NEEDED!

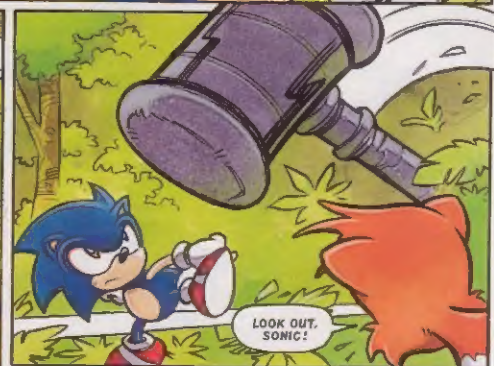
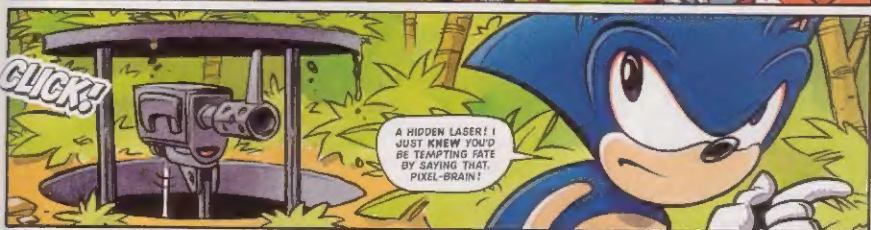
SOON—

CAN'T THIS THING
FLY ANY FASTER,
TAILS?

WE'LL GET THERE
IN TIME, SONIC... I
HOPE!

MEANWHILE...







OH YES!
NOW,
PAY UP!

NO DEAL, SONIC! THEY PAID THEIR
MONEY, THEY TOOK THEIR CHANCES!
BY LAW, I DON'T HAVE TO REFUND
THEM IF I DON'T WANT TO!

AND THERE'S
NOTHING YOU CAN
DO ABOUT IT!

I'M OUT
OF HERE!

AAAGH!
MY MONEY!

WHOOSH!

OUR MONEY,
I BELIEVE?

VERY GENEROUS
OF YOU, MAX!

NOOOO!

SOMETHING'S
PUT THE WIND
UP MAX!

YOU LOOK
REALLY
STRESSED OUT,
GAMBLE! EVER
THOUGHT OF
TAKING A
HOLIDAY?

GAHHN!

THE END!

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SPECIAL ZONE!

MONDAY MORNING IN
THE BUSINESS SECTOR
OF THE METROPOLIS
ZONE...

MORNING!

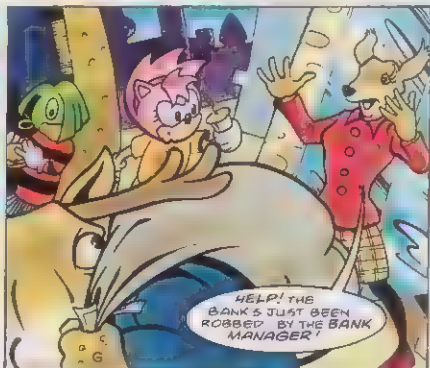
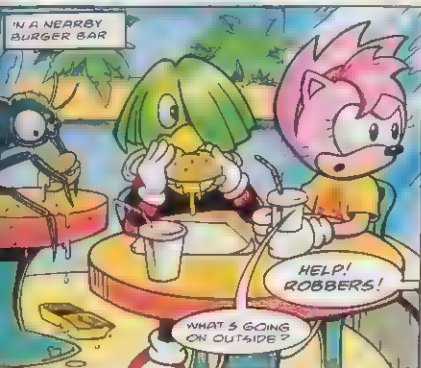
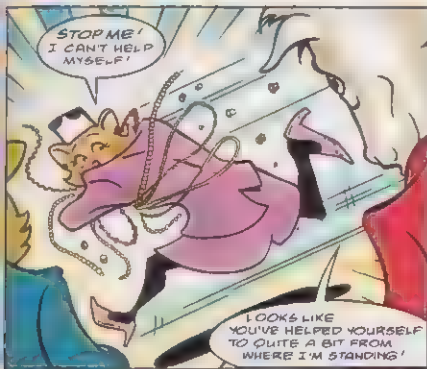
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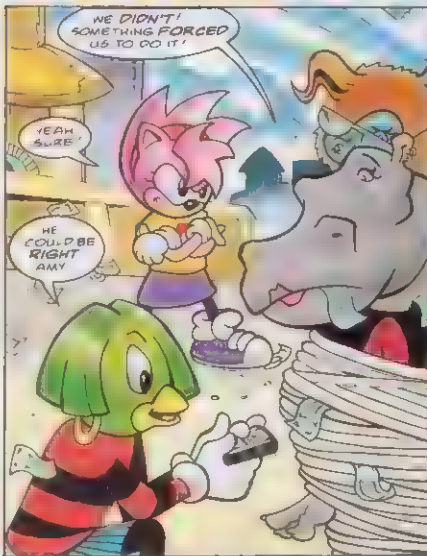
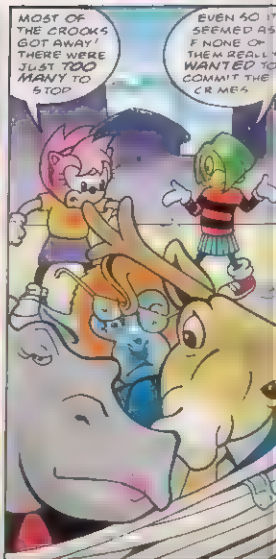
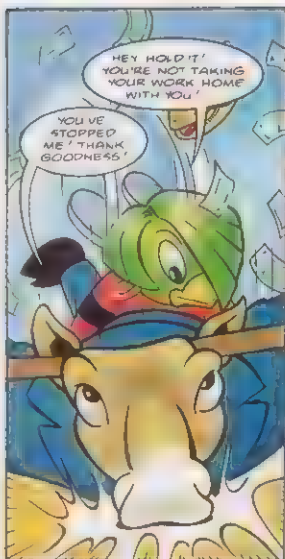
MORNING!

following suit

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SOON

I'VE NEVER
HAD TO ARREST
SUITS BEFORE!

THEY'RE SHORT-
CIRCUITING! AT LEAST
WE KNOW THEIR WEAKNESS
NOW! TOO BAD WE DIDN'T
CAPTURE ALL OF
THEM!

OH NO! IT'S
STARTING TO RAIN
NOW!

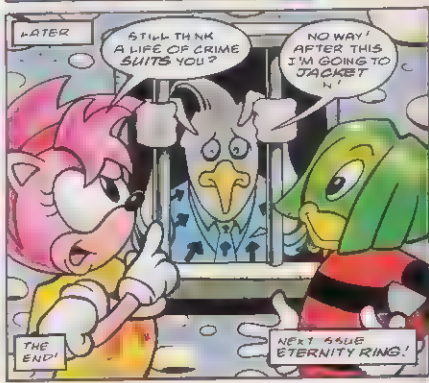
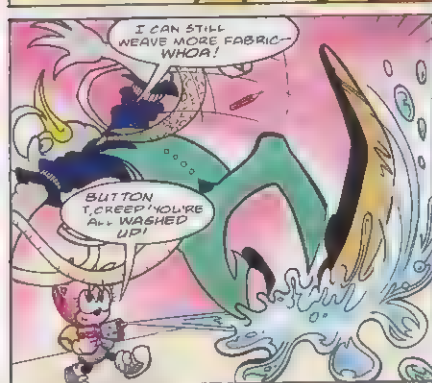
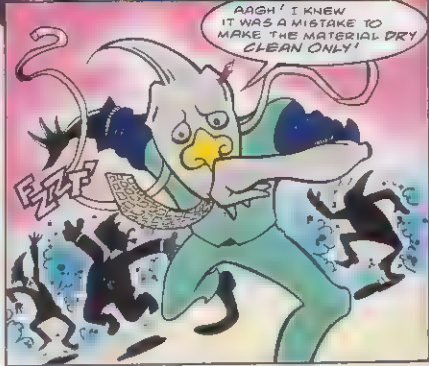
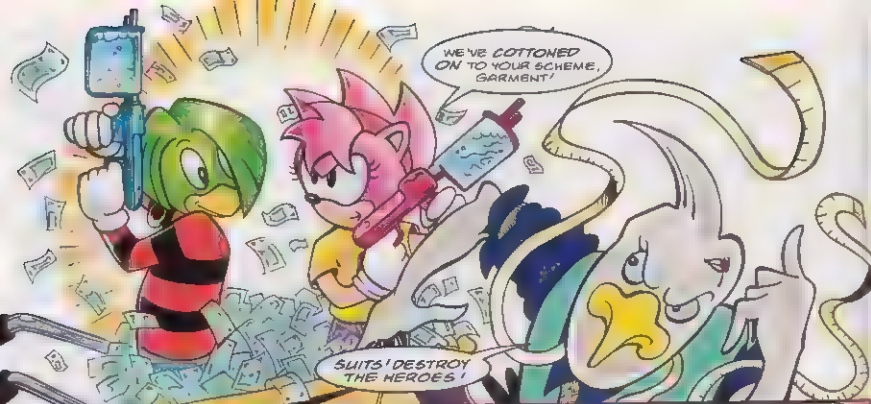
NO PROBLEM! I'VE
GOT A PLAN

FZZT! BZZT!

THE SINISTER
SUITS GUIDE
THEIR
RELUCTANT
OCCUPANTS TO
A DESERTED
WAREHOUSE

HELP!
MY SUIT'S GOT
A LIFE OF ITS
OWN!

HA! THE
MAD SCIENTISTS
CLUB LAUGHED
WHEN I SAID I'D
INVENTED INTELLIGENT
FABRIC, BUT NOW I
AM GARMENT, THE
EVIL TAILOR, THE
RICHEST
VILLAIN IN THE
WORLD!



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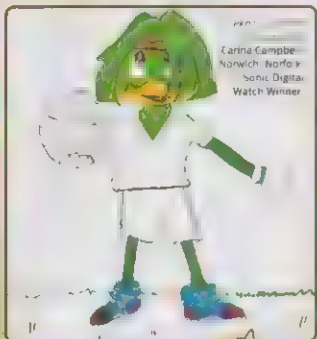
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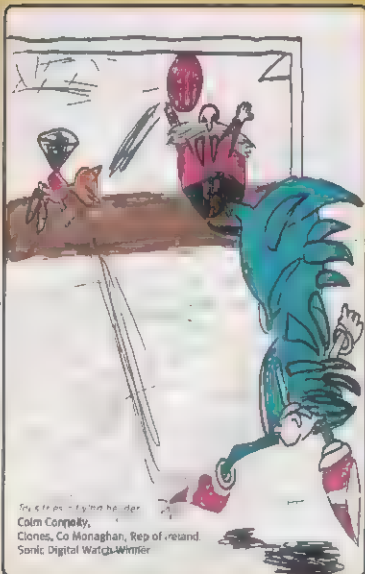
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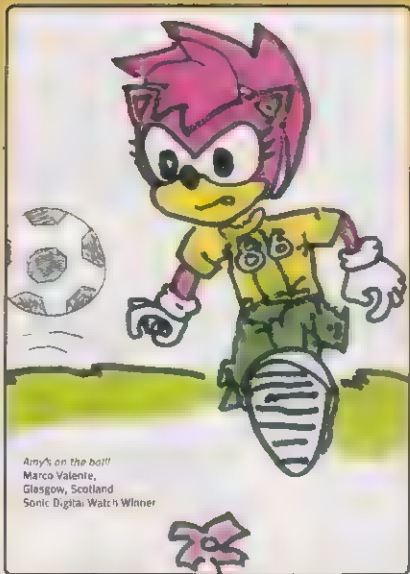
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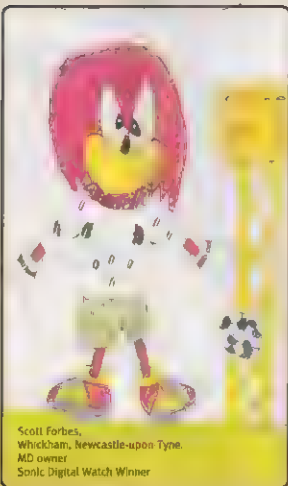
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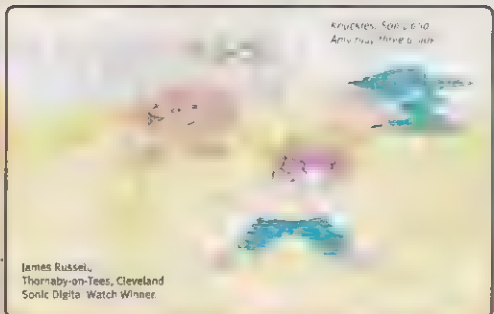
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Amy's on the ball!
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IT'S MOBIUS CUP FINAL DAY

LOOK, DAD, CAN I
HAVE A NEW SHIRT
LIKE THE MAN IN
FRONT?

YOU'VE
ALREADY HAD
EIGHT DIFFERENT
STRIPS THIS
SEASON, DARREN!

COME ON,
YOU REDS!

SHINPADZIO
WILL EASILY
BEAT YOU!

BUT SHINPADZIO MANAGER RONNIE DRIBBLE IS
NOT SO CONFIDENT ABC, & HIS TEAM'S CHANGES

LOOK AT THE STATE OF YOU!
YOU'VE ALL BECOME
UNUSUAL, LAZY SLOBS
SINCE OUR LAST WIN!

HUH! YOU
CAN TALK!

RELAX
BOSS! WE'LL
WALK IT!

YES, BECAUSE YOU'RE
**TOO UNFIT
TO RUN!**

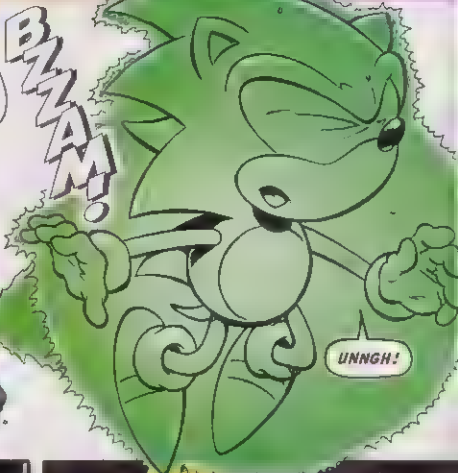
RONNIE TRIES FOR THE SERVICES
OF A SUPER SUB

SIGN UP SONIC!
WE NEED YOU IN
THE SIDE!

SORRY NO CAN DO!
MY SKILLS WOULDN'T
GIVE THE OTHER TEAM
A SPORTING CHANCE!



I
EXPECTED
AS MUCH!
TIME I
CHANGED MY
TACTICS!



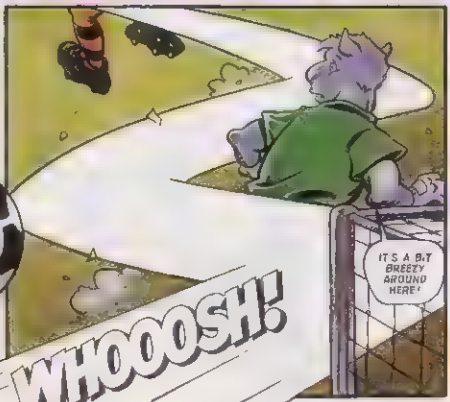
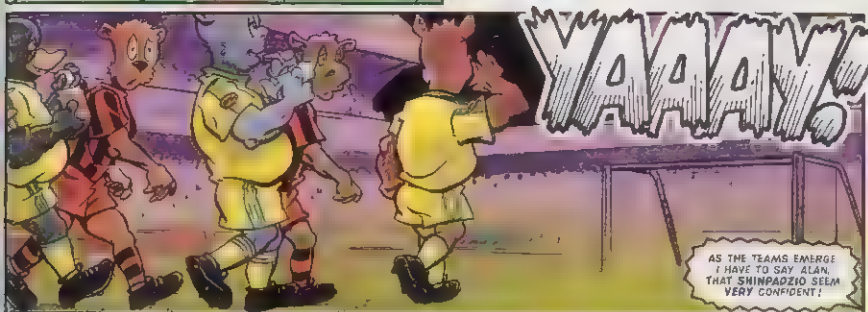
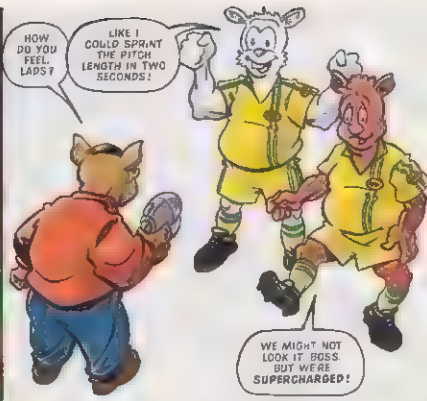
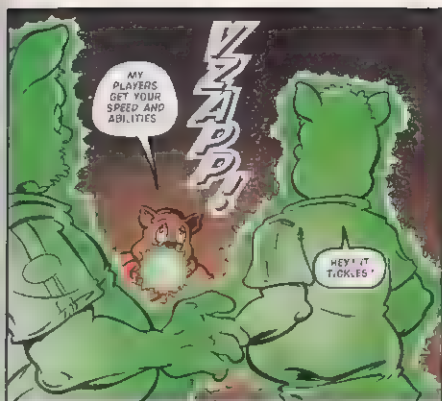
LATER

DON'T BOTHER TRYING TO BREAK
OUT, SONIC! THOSE WALLS ARE
REINFORCED WITH MEGATEL!

WHAT'S
YOUR GAME
DRIBB, E?

*MEGATEL - STRONGEST METAL
ON MOBIUS Megadroid







MEANWHILE, BACK
ON THE PITCH...





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Donna Evans,
Urmston,
Manchester.
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Prize-Winner.

WHOSE ARMY?

Dear STC,

Could you please tell me what a Sentinel is?
Blair Erskine,
Fife, Scotland.
MD/MS owner.
Enamel Badge Prize-Winner.



I can show you, Blair! See this issue's Classic Sonic story, and you'll see that a Sentinel is a mechanical stone giant; a military soldier, manufactured by the Drakon Empire.

EGGSTAR

Dear Megadroid,

I have a recipe for Eggy Bread and I would like you to pass this on to Doctor Robotnik. The first thing you do is take one or two eggs and mix them up in a cup and then pour the eggs onto a plate. Then take your slice of bread and dip it in the eggs and then fry it until golden brown. I recommend this recipe with plenty of ketchup or brown sauce.

Craig Milliken,
South Shields, Tyne & Wear.
Enamel Badge Prize-Winner.



It makes a change to the recipes for disaster that Robotnik's usually connected with!

SPEED BOOTS

Dear STC,

All I want to know is where does Sonic get those speed boots from?

Harry Williams,
Coventry, Midlands.
Enamel Badge Prize-Winner.



Shoe Express? (Hedge)
Hobbs? Definitely not from a run-of-the-mill shoe shop, anyway!

Watch out for Espio, the Chao's star striker in a brand new series beginning next issue.



James Watson,
Hatfield, Herts.
MDa, GG &
Saturn owner.
Enamel Badge
Prize-Winner.

BRUSH WITH SONIC

Dear Megadroid,

I have been thinking about possible uses for a horribly squashed Sonic The Hedgehog and I have come up with three suggestions. What do you think of them...

1. Hairbrush
 2. Brillo Pad
 3. Doormat
- Ben Turnbull,**
Storrington, West Sussex.
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I thought that Grimer was the only mad inventor around these 'ere parts!



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NEXT ISSUE
STC's ON THE CASE...

FREE TRAVEL TAG!

Get away faster, get a specially designed Holiday Hedgehog to make your luggage stand out from the crowd! There's a picture of Sonic on one side and space to write your name and address on the other!



NEW STORIES!

SONIC

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plus

CLASSIC SONIC

SONIC GOLD

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